GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1700
ANSWERED ON:19.07.2004
YOUTH HOSTELS
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Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of youth hostels set up in the country so far alongwith the location thereof, State-wise;

(b) whether the Government has any proposal to set up at least one youth hostel in every district;

(c) if so, by when said proposal is likely to be implemented; and

(d) the steps taken in the matter?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS (SHRI SUNIL DUTT)

(a): Sixty five youth hostels have so far been set up in the country. The State-wise and location- wise details of youth hostels are given in Annexure.

(b) to (d): No, Sir. The setting up of new Youth Hostels is considered on the basis of viable proposals received from the concerned State Governments and Union Territories Administrations as per provisions laid down in the Youth Hostel Manual.

ANNEXURE

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1700 FOR 19/07/2004 REGARDING YOUTH HOSTELS.

Sl No.	Name of State/UT	No. of Youth Hostel constr-ucted	Location of Youth Hostel (s)
1.	Andhra Pradesh	5	Secunderabad, Vijayawada, Tirupathi, Visakhapatnam, Nagarjunasagar
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	1	Naharlagun.
3.	Assam	4	Nawgaon, Guwahati, Golaghat, Tezpur.
4.	Bihar	1	Patna
5.	Gujarat	1	Gandhinagar
6.	Haryana	4	Panchkula, Kurukshetra(Pipli), Bhiwani, Gurgaon.
7	Himachal Pradesh	2	Dalhousie, Bilaspur.
8.	Jammu & Kashmir	3	Patnitop, Nagrota, Srinagar.
9.	Karnataka	3	Mysore, Hassan, Tirtharameshwar,
10	Kerala	3	Thiruvananthapuram(Veli), Ernakulam(Kochi), Calicut(Kozhikode)
11	Maharashtra	2	Aurangabad, Buldhana
12	Manipur	2	Imphal, Ukhrul
13	Meghalaya	2	Shillong, Tura
14	Madhya Pradesh	2	Bhopal, Jhabalpur

15	Nagaland	2	Mokokchung, Dimapur
16	Mizoram	1	Aizawl
17	Punjab	4	Ropar (Rupnagar), Amritsar, Sangrur, Patiala
18	Rajasthan	2	Jaipur, Jodhpur
19	Tamil Nadu	4	Chennai, Madurai, Thanjavur, Trichy (Tiruchirapalli)
20	Uttar Pradesh	1	Agra
21	A & N Islands	1	Port Blair
22	West Bengal	3	Darjeeling, Churulia, Burdwan.
23	Pondicherry	1	Pondicherry
24	Tripura	1	Agartala
25	Orissa	4	Puri, Joshipur, Gopalpur-on-Sea, Koraput
26	Goa	2	Panaji, Padam Mapusa,
27	Sikkim	1	Namchi
28	Uttaranchal	3	Mussoorie, Uttarkashi, Nainital.

Total 65